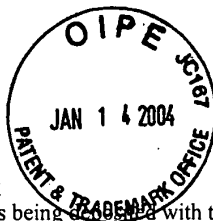


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing the response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2003, in the above-identified application. The extension of time indicated below is required and has not yet been granted:

[3] months fee = \$475.00

A check for \$475.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee for this matter. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0838.

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